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LOCAL NEWS

Items of Interest Picked Up About the Line City.

There was something doing at the Monte Carlo last Sunday night, when many thousand dollars changed hands. Frank Main still wears a broad smile, and his various bank rolls are as big as usual.

This week L. Lindsay, president of the Sadoval National Bank in Nogales, has been a business visitor in Nogales, from Los Angeles, where his family now make their home.

Tuesday of this week Mr. W. E. Bloxton and his son James, were visitors in the Line City, having business here of a personal nature. They left the same day for their Sanford home.

George Bonabery, the well known and popular mining man, has returned from a successful business trip to Los Angeles. The gentleman, with his associates, is interested in some very meritorious mining properties in Sonora, which are now receiving his attention.

Mrs. W. E. Bloxton of Sanford, has gone to Tacoma, Washington, to visit a brother she has not seen for twenty years. While en route she will stop in Los Angeles and spend several days with Mrs. Fred Sterling, formerly of this city, now a resident of the City of Angeles.

Monday and Tuesday of this week Mr. Teodoro Jaeger, traveling representative of the Gustavo Mayer Company of Mexico, was a business visitor in Nogales in the interest of his big cigar house, which makes a specialty of the famous Favotita cigars, sold by Frank Irvine.

Mr. J. A. Faymonville, chief bookkeeper for the Brady-Levin Commission Company of Nogales and Tucson, is now with the Tucson office, but will return to Nogales about the first of the year. The gentleman's many friends will be pleased to see him return to Nogales.

This week two old and experienced miners came in from San Antonio Pass, where they have a number of good claims and spent several days in the city. They were Sam Barker and Harry Smith. The gentlemen have many friends in Nogales, all of whom were glad to see them.

Harry Renshaw, who for some time past has been running the stage between Nogales and Oro Blanco, is taking a well-earned rest. He says his team is also greatly in need of rest and they are now having it. When times over Oro Blanco way pick up, he will again resume operations, but not till then.

The Coast Line Copper Company's Nogales office is now in charge of Mr. Archibald, who recently arrived in the city from Tempe. The offices are in the Arizona Hotel, and are both comfortable and convenient, and where Mr. Archibald can always be found taking care of this big company's business. The young man is an expert accountant and book-keeper.

"Doc" Tuttle and Clarence Hartman, two well known Nogales sporting men, who for a long time were connected with The Palace, have become interested in the gambling at The Senate. L. Lully's popular little resort on Morley avenue. Messrs. Tuttle and Hartman are well and favorably known all over the west, where for many years they have resided. They will always give you a run for your money.

Last week Marshall P. Wright, one of the most prominent and successful mine promoters now operating in Sonora, with headquarters at Hermosillo, was a stop-over visitor in Nogales en route south. The gentleman had been to San Francisco and Los Angeles on a combined business and pleasure trip, which he said was both successful and enjoyable. Mrs. Wright and the children are spending the winter in Los Angeles.

Claim owners should remember that the first of the year is coming rapidly, and that assessment work not yet done for the year should be started as soon as possible. Don't procrastinate until it is too late and some other fellow has "jumped" your property. After the legal time has passed for the doing of the assessment work, your claim has again become the property of the United States, and open for location. Then do your work before it is too late.

Mr. Ike Biery, the well known millwright who had charge of the construction of the mill now in operation at the Sorrel Top mines at Oro Blanco, this county, was a visitor at the county seat the greater part of last week, having business of a personal nature at this place. Mr. Biery is an old-timer in this section of the county, he having built some of the best stamp mills at the various camps in Arizona and Sonora. The forepart of this week he returned to Oro Blanco.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

—OF THE—

Board of Supervisors of Santa Cruz County.

Office of the Board of Supervisors of Santa Cruz County, Nogales, Oct. 5, 1903.

The board met pursuant to adjournment of September 8th, 1903. Present Chairman Farrell, Member Harrison, and Harmon and Clerk Herold.

Minutes of meetings held September 8th, 15 and 24th, were read and approved.

The board now proceeded to examine and allow demands on the county.

Upon motion and all members voting "aye," the following county demands were allowed and ordered paid out of the funds, to-wit:

SALARY FUND.

R. Farrell, salary September 1903, \$58.30.

J. A. Harrison, salary supervisor, August and September, 1903, \$116.60.

Henry Harmon, salary supervisor, September 1903, \$58.30.

T. J. Turner, salary sheriff, quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$150.

T. J. Turner, salary assessor quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$150.

W. A. O'Connor, salary probate judge, quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$150.

V. W. Clark, salary jailer, September, 1903, \$75.

Eulalia Leon, janitor, quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$90.

Geo B. Marsh, salary treasurer, September 30, 1903, \$312.50.

F. J. Duffy, salary district attorney, September 30, 1903, \$312.50.

Phil Herold, salary recorder, September 30, 1903, \$312.50.

S. F. Noon, salary clerk of District Court, September 30, 1903, \$62.50.

H. R. Renshaw, work in Recorder's office, \$12.

H. W. Purdy, quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$75.

H. W. Purdy, county health office, quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$75.

EXPENSE FUND.

T. J. Turner, feeding prisoners, July, 1903, \$46.57.

T. J. Turner, feeding prisoners, August, 1903, \$72.90.

Jose Ortega (transferred to Sandoval National Bank), bounty on wolves, presented for \$45, allowed for \$15.

L. J. F. Iaeger, lodging and meals for jury, \$55.50.

Nogales Electric Light, Ice & Water Co., ice for court house, quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$18.30.

Nogales Electric Light, Ice & Water Co., lights for jail, quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$29.40.

Sam Fong, interpreter's fees, \$3.

O. Phelps, care of J. Rusher, indigent, September, 1903, \$22.

Jos. Pascholy, assigned accounts jurors, \$9.

L. F. Swain, assigned accounts, \$2.20.

C. P. Lopez, constable fees, Precinct No. 1, \$36.25.

B. Curtis, assigned account juror, \$6.20.

E. D. Miller (transferred to Sandoval National Bank), publishing, etc., \$51.22.

Sunset Telephone & Telegraph Co., telephone rental, quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$25.50.

F. F. Rodriguez, water and light for court house, \$22.

E. D. Miller, publishing notice of increased assessments, \$158.25.

James Kane, constable fees, Precinct No. 4, \$36.70.

Mrs. Mary Kane, interpreter fees, \$1.50.

C. O. Bustamante, interpreter fees, \$3.

E. D. Miller, printing and publishing, \$58.70.

F. F. Rodriguez, supplies, 66 cts. James Kane, deputy sheriff fees, \$10.60.

A. Griffen, special constable fees, Precinct No. 6, \$8.

E. D. Miller, printing and publishing, \$80.50.

Frank Fitch, special constable fees, Precinct No. 6, \$7.

H. H. McNeil Company, blank books, etc., \$65.23.

Marsh Lumber Company, lumber for court house well, \$7.35.

C. E. Perkins, surveying, \$28.

T. J. Turner, sheriff fees, quarter ending September 30, 1903, \$170.80.

S. Ashley, justice fees, Precinct No. 1, presented for \$118.65, allowed for \$118.15.

H. W. Purdy, care of J. O'Neil, indigent, \$20.20.

GENERAL FUND.

T. J. Turner, postage, telegrams, etc., presented for \$16.25, allowed for \$8.25.

F. F. Rodriguez, rent court house, September, 1903, \$100.

F. J. Duffy, costs in case of Barnes & Martin vs. Santa Cruz County, \$12.

F. F. Rodriguez, rent district attorney's office, July 1st to September 15th, 1903, \$20.

ROAD FUND.

A. J. Stockton, road work, District No. 4, \$220.50.

John K. Nolan, road work, road district No. 1, \$192.50.

John K. Nolan, road work, road district No. 1, \$16.50.

Roy & Titcomb, Inc., supplies for roads, \$20.84.

James Kane, road work, road district No. 4, \$6.

R. T. Rankin, road work, road district No. 6, \$50.25.

On motion, duly carried, it was ordered that the well at the court house, as completed by F. Manion, be and the same is hereby accepted by the board.

This being the date set for hearing objections to petitions for county roads, the board now took up the road petitions, as follows:

"Petition for road from Calabasas to Tubac, on east side of Santa Cruz river."

There being no objection to said road, the following were appointed appraisers to view out and locate said road and appraise all legitimate damages arising from said location: D. W. Cummings, Joseph Peskorski and County Surveyor C. E. Perkins.

Petition for road from Montana mine to Tres Amigos mine. Viewers appointed: A. C. Lamb, Phil Ward and County Surveyor C. E. Perkins.

Petition for road from Pesqueira Bridge to Old Oro Blanco. Viewers appointed: A. C. Lamb, H. Finch and County Surveyor C. E. Perkins.

The board now opened bids for construction of windmill, tank, etc., at court house. The following bids were presented: F. F. Rodriguez, to furnish complete, one only, 14-foot galvanized steel Decorah windmill, weight 1,150 pounds.

One only, 30-foot galvanized steel Decorah tower, weight 700 pounds.

Seventy-five feet of 2-inch galvanized iron pipe and fittings.

Sixty-five feet one-half-inch galvanized plunger rod.

One only, 4-inch by 16-inch by 2-inch brass cylinder, fig. 312.

One only, brass check valve (swing seat).

One only, stuffing box, brass plunger.

One only, 2-inch foot valve.

One only, 2-inch stand pipe air chamber, for the sum of \$256.75.

F. F. Rodriguez to furnish one 10,000-gallon tank, made of 20-pound galvanized iron, 1-inch gas pipe around the top ring. Size of tank, 15 feet 4 inches by 86 inches high; all work guaranteed, for the sum of \$132.

F. F. Rodriguez to furnish 2 inch galvanized iron pipe for 25½ cents per foot; 2-inch brass gate valves, at \$4.75

each; excavating for connecting court house to well, and from well to tank, \$35; plumbing and all connections from tank to court house, \$16.

Upon motion, and all members voting "aye," the bids of F. F. Rodriguez were accepted.

The board now stood at recess until 10 a. m., Tuesday, October 6th, 1903. APPROVED, R. FARRELL, Chairman.

ATTEST:

PHIL HEROLD, Clerk.

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SUPPRESS THE "KNOCKER."

A Villainous Practice of Which Certain Individuals are Guilty.

Nogales, Ariz., Dec. 13, 1903. To the Editor of THE WIDETTE.

In your issue of yesterday, (December 12) I note with great pleasure, the deal lately consummated by the Brady-Levin Commission Company, with Mr. Richard Gird, on the "Higuera" group of mines, situated near Magdalena, Sonora.

The writer, in January of last year, had the opportunity to examine these properties, and his belief then was that they were, with proper development and good management, destined to become a great producing property; his opinion has never varied, and he experiences a certain satisfaction that his judgment, then formed, has been endorsed by such a successful and practical miner as Richard Gird, under whose able management this property will undoubtedly produce a great amount of bullion, and necessarily benefit, to a large extent, the commerce of Nogales, to which it is tributary.

It would be well to note that some five days previously to the acquisition by the Brady-Levin Company of this property from the original owners, a certain well known mining man, (then in Nogales) representing one of the foremost English mining companies, figured on visiting this property, with a view of purchasing, but met a well known "so-called," mining man of Nogales, who, NOT HAVING EXAMINED THE MINES, "turned them down," so to speak, as being no good. The result was that the English interests never visited the property, and returned to California with the impression, erroneously gathered, that the mines in the region tributary to Nogales, were of no account.

This is not the first time that the same party has given bad reports of mines adjacent to Nogales, both in Arizona and Sonora, without ever having seen them, and thereby scared away capital, which would have been of great benefit to our town.

I would like to invoke the aid of your valuable paper, to impress on the minds of investors, that they should pay no attention to the stories of "PROFESSIONAL KNOCKERS," but make a personal investigation of any property they may deem likely to be a paying investment.

By the publication of the foregoing in your valuable weekly, it may be possible to eradicate an evil which very seriously injures trade in the "Line City," and at the same time assist mining interests generally.

Yours very truly,
SONORA MINER AND PROSPECTOR.

Extracts from Arizona Estray Laws.

Par. 2489, p. 665, Revised Statutes 1901: "No person shall take up any es. ray horse, mule, meat animal, sheep or swine, who shall not find the estray animal within an enclosure possessed by him."

Par. 2490, p. 665: "Any one taking up at estray shall immediately forward to the nearest justice of the peace and to the nearest cattle inspector, and also to the county recorder of the county in which the estray is taken up, and of each, if more than one be taken up at the same time, giving its kind, sex, age, color, together with all marks and brands, if any; when, where, and by whom it was taken up, and where it can be seen."

Par. 2491, p. 665: "Any one who shall take up an animal, shall during the time it is in his possession as an estray properly feed and care for the same; but shall not use the same."

Par. 571, p. 1287: "Any person taking up an animal which he may find estray upon his farm or premises who shall sell or dispose of the same, or remove the same from the county in which he found it until after the expiration of six months from the date of posting the notices required by the provisions of the law relating to stray animals, and until the payment of one half of the value of such animal, appraised as required by law, into the county treasury, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."